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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicant herewith transmits copies of the documents listed in the attached Form PTO/SB/08, which may be deemed material to the examination of the above-identified application.

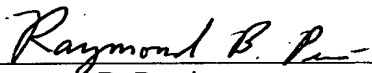
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